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STRIKE WILL TIE UP ALL SHIPS

Every Shipyard on This Coast Will Close Unless Strike Is Averted — Wilson Blocks Territory Grab—Bigger U. S. Navy Is Urged—News of State and Nation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—"It will be the policy of the government in shipyard strikes to 'let the job stand,'" Charles Piez, director general of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, said today. He referred particularly to the situation at Seattle, where, he said, men had been out for a week, and at San Francisco, where he said it was reported workers in two trades intended to go out shortly and tie up all the work in the district. Piez declared most of the yards needed a breathing spell, that he did not think the government would continue to furnish work at extremely high wages unless increased skill and output justified it, and that in his view it was highly unwise for shipyard workers in their own interests to call strikes at existing scales.

MAYOR ROLPH AT WORK

A definite move by Mayor Rolph to forestall the strike of shipwrights and other shipyard workers of the Maritime Bay District Council is now on. If such a move is made it can only be in the form of a compromise offer from the employers of sufficient dimension to warrant submission to the unions for a referendum vote, according to officers of the council.

The mayor met with leaders of the council yesterday to familiarize himself with their demands and the reasons that led the unions to vote for a strike Feb. 1, unless a wage of $1 an hour is agreed to.

Following the conference the mayor said he would use his good offices to prevent the strike and that he would probably have something definite to say today regarding the situation. This was interpreted to mean that he would, in the meantime, interview the shipyard employers to ascertain the possibilities of compromise from their standpoint.

LEADER URGES OAKLAND WORKERS TO STRIKE

SEATTLE, Jan. 30.—That the metal trades strike may spread to Oakland was indicated when William Spooner, secretary of the Oakland Central Labor Council, told the local Labor Council that he would recommend that Oakland labor unions join the strike movement.

WILSON FIRM AGAINST GRABBING OF COLONIES

PARIS, Jan. 30.—Clarifying progress on the question of the German colonies was made at to-

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NAVAL CARGO SHIP LEAVES TOMORROW

The naval cargo carrier (it is not a collier, as stated), now loading at the municipal wharf will finish and sail for the Panama Canal sometime tomorrow. This ship, the "Crowell," was the first to carry a cargo through the canal, and is also first to dock at our municipal wharf, so it feels highly honored, its officers and crew state. It will arrive at Brooklyn in twenty-five days. There are seventy men in the crew and twelve officers, the latter being Captain Nickerson, Lieutenant B. A. Tuell, Lieutenant W. C. Gifford, Lieut. W. G. H. Callahan, Lieutenant M. Spillane, Ensign B. Hoffman, Ensign C. M. Breen, Ensign H. T. Parks, Ensign C. Proudfit, Lieutenant H. I. Martin, Ensign A. L. Martin, Machinist H. Ridenam.

Schools to Observe Roosevelt Memorial

A request that all counties and communities in the state participate in the observance of the National Memorial Day, Feb. 9, for Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, has been sent to all county divisions of the State Council of Defense. Resolutions to commemorate Roosevelt's passing which were adopted by the advisory war cabinet and the executive committee of the council are being sent broadcast throughout the state today. Richmond will celebrate the event in all its schools. Many of the local organizations, clubs and fraternities have also arranged to observe the day.

OAKLAND HOLDUP MAN ARRESTED AT PINOLE

A man who is believed to be Franklin Everett, hold-up man, burglar and all-round desperado, who, with three other prisoners, escaped from the Alameda County jail last Sunday afternoon after beating and overpowering a jailer, was captured yesterday at Pinole by Deputy Sheriff A. McDonald of Contra Costa County.

Alameda County deputy sheriffs are on their way to Pinole this morning to identify the man. He is said to answer fully the description of Everett.

According to the Pinole town constable, the man was arrested as he was making his way through Pinole along the railroad tracks in the early hours of the morning. The suspect was unarmed, but is reported to have resisted arrest.

According to sheriff's deputies no clues have been obtained as to the whereabouts of Thomas Howard, George Hobbs and Louis Barzotti, the three men who escaped with Everett.

The health office reports nine cases of colds and no deaths for the past twenty-four hours. The flu has died out at last. With the necessary precautions against any kind of sickness and the proper care of health no one should have fear of the ailment now.

NAVAL BASE SURVEY IS ORDERED

Government Will Expend $36,000,000 on Project and Richmond Will Benefit—Survey to Extend From Alameda to Albany—Navy Enlargement on This Coast Sure.

A while back there was considerable rivalry among Alameda, Albany and Richmond as to which should receive the distinguished honor of having the U. S. naval base, and even San Francisco got into the race, sending a delegation on to Washington to work in favor of Hunter's Point. No decision has ever been announced, other than that it would be on the east side of the bay, but the general opinion is that it will be at Alameda. At any rate, a government survey has just been ordered, which survey is to include Albany and Richmond, as well as Alameda, and the present supposition is that the base will be at Alameda, but that in connection with it much work will be done by the government on the harbors and channels all the way from there to and including Richmond. Upon the base and this other work tributary to it, there is to be expended, it now becomes known, $36,000,000, and that Oakland, Albany and Richmond will all largely benefit, both directly and indirectly from this vast expenditure is sure.

This all fits in admirably with Colonel Rees' plan of making all this territory one big shipping port and harbor, with units at all the towns named, and this now seems to be the idea and plans of the various boost bodies and interests working to improve the east bay shipping facilities and activities.

As soon as the survey is completed a final cost estimate will be submitted to Congress for ratification. Daniel's trip West is understood also to be preliminary to the government's plans to put the Pacific naval squadron on an equal basis with that of the Atlantic coast.

The sum of $13,000 has just been appropriated by Congress for the maintenance of Oakland's harbor, according to word received yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce from Congressman Je Arthur Elston.

WIERDA WRITES FROM FRANCE

Art. Faris, city clerk, has received a letter from Bert Wierda, former building inspector. Bert writes from Brest, France, where he is a major in the engineers stationed at that point. He wrote on Jan. 2, saying that he would probably leave France for the U. S. A. in thirty days, meaning that he will be home about March 1. He made an extensive tour of France on a recent furlough, taking in the principal cities and places of historic interest, among them being Paris, Marseilles, Bordeaux, Meton, Monaco, Nice, Monte Carlo and cities all along the Italian border. At Nice, Europe's fashionable playground, he met Joe Krah, former Standard Oil employe. Krah was looking fine and enjoying life well.

SPRING ELECTION COMING ON APACE

The spring municipal election is coming closer every day, and as to whether many candidates will bob up for election to the City Council or not no man knoweth. Presumably there will be enough for all intents and purposes. The regular election will be held on May 12, and the primaries for the same on April 28. Registration will close for the primaries March 28 and for the election April 12. All voters who have not registered since Jan. 1, 1918, or who have moved into another precinct, must register. To the best of our knowledge and belief all of the councilmen whose terms expire will be candidates for re-election, and unless something unforseen happens few others will bother with it.

REDMEN'S GRAND BALL IS SET FOR FEB. 11

The Redmen's first big dance for 1919 will be held in Pythian Castle on the night of Feb. 11. It was planned to have a joint whist and dance party, but the Redmen were unable to secure the lower floor, so all their energy will be directed in making the dance one of the best given in Richmond for months. They will give their whist party some time during the latter part of February, when they will give $100 in prizes to the winners. The proceeds from the dance Feb. 11 will be turned over to the Redmen's "Welcome Home Fund" to further their reception work for the returned soldiers and sailors of the lodge.

A committee headed by John A. Miller, assisted by Emil Esolo, Fred Gebhart, Emmett Gainford and Carl Schack are out to make the dance a successful one. The Redmen Jazz Orchestra will furnish the music. The price of tickets will be 50c and they will be converted into ten fitney dance tickets at the hall when the dance takes place. Refreshments will be served.

SERGT. IMBACH WRITES OF FRENCH EXPERIENCE

Sergeant George P. Imbach of the 832st Motor Truck Corps, now in France, writes to his brother, W. E. Imbach of the city engineer's office about the splendid entertainment and banquet his company attended on Christmas night at La Havre, France. He sent a menu and the program, which was given at the Hotel Restaurant Duchemin on Dec. 25. The dinner was an eight-course affair, costing only 12 francs, or about $2.50 per person, which is cheap during these times in France. Along with the program was a history of the experiences of the company. Several Richmond boys were with the 832st when it left for the East, but now only George Imbach is left. He writes that he expects to leave for America in a few weeks, and will show up in Richmond as soon as he can get Uncle Sam's permission.

BUSINESS MEN AND CLERKS ARGUFY

Clerks Contend for 6 O'Clock Closing on General Union Principles—Merchants Contend They Have the Right to Keep Open if Union Wages and Hours Are Adhered To.

Another conference will be held between the merchants and clerks at Labor Temple tonight, in which another effort will be made to adjust the difficulties and misunderstandings now existing between them. The matter will also be taken up before the Labor Council.

In a nutshell this see-saw between the clerks and the merchants is that the former are insisting that all stores be closed in Richmond at 6 o'clock every evening, including Saturday evenings and the evenings of pay days, which occur here twice a month. They maintain that San Francisco and Oakland have such closing hours, and Richmond ought to, in justice to the clerk, who wants his evenings off.

The merchants, on the other hand, hold out for keeping open until 8 o'clock on Saturdays and pay day evenings, claiming that a third of their trade occurs upon those evenings and that it is a hardship upon them, a very grave hardship, which they wish to obviate if possible. The News interviewed a number of them last evening, and they said they were perfectly willing to adhere to the union scale of wages and the union scale of hours, and having done that contend that they are entitled to run as many shifts as they deem best, twenty-four hours out of every

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BAKER FUNERAL SERVICES

As announced in yesterday's News, the funeral services of the late D. W. Baker, chief clerk in Master Mechanic Harlow's office at the Santa Fe, took place yesterday morning under the auspices of McKinley Lodge of Masons. Rev. Radlo, Episcopal minister, officiated. Interment was at Sunset View Cemetery, where the Masonic services were held. School Superintendent W. T. Helms delivered an eloquent eulogy. The services were largely attended.

FRATERNAL AID UNION MEETS

The Fraternal Aid Union initiated ten new members into its order last night. A big banquet was held after the initiation. A delegation of the Oakland order was present at the banquet and initiation. The order is having a membership contest in which "Love" symbolizes one side and "Charity" the other. The losers in the contest pay for the banquet.

Mrs. E. A. Martin, 2111 Barrett avenue, has just returned from a visit with friends and relatives at Fresno and Bakersfield.

TANK SHIP ARRIVES FROM PHILIPPINES

The big tank steamer "Royal Arrow" steamed into Richmond Wednesday from the Philippine Islands, bringing a cargo of 4,800 tons of cocoanut oil. The oil is now being unloaded into the big oil tanks at the Point Orient tank farm, and later on will be consigned on tank cars to points in the East. There was quite a big shipment made East this week, in tank cars, amount to sixty-six cars. Eastern factories use it in various things manufactured, such as toilet soaps, lubricants, liniments and many other well-known articles of every day commerce. Richmond's new industry, the Visayan Cocoanut Oil Company, is now doing a large and lucrative business and employing quite a large force of workers.

Student Body to Buy New Stage Curtain

The student body of the Richmond High School yesterday voted out their balance of funds for last semester's administration. The balance in the treasury was $100. Several different projects were discussed by the students, among them being to set aside the money for tennis courts, a cafeteria, and a curtain for the stage in the new assembly room of the high. The student body favored the curtain for the stage, and soon the school will have one more brilliant feature to be proud of. The students are in hopes that the school board will establish tennis courts near enough to the school to allow the students to enjoy themselves during their idle time. The new officers elected last week will take over the work Feb. 1.

TWO BASKET BALL GAME SCHEDULED FOR TONIGHT

The Richmond High School will hold two big basket ball games with the Crockett High School teams tonight in the local gym, at Twenty-Second and Bissell. The games promise to be good, for the up-county teams are defeating all comers. There will be one boys' game and one girls' game, and a dance after the events. The doors open at 7:30 and the first game starts at 8 o'clock sharp. The line-up for the boys' team will be picked from the following: Brooks, Moore, E. McLaughlin, Bellisa, Gadberry, Rawlson, F. McLaughlin, Greathouse and McDonald. The girls' team is composed of, guards, Bernice and Gladys Rouse; forwards, B. Frymire and B. Brugeman; centers, H. O'Neill, H. Freeman and M. Gately.

A demonstration will be given today by the high school cadets and the boosters of the high school along Macdonald avenue for the purpose of stimulating public spirit toward the basket ball games which will be played at the local high school tonight between the Richmond High School and the Crockett teams.

CIRCULATION CAMPAIGN BOOMS

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The first list of names of the nominated candidates will be published in Saturday morning's paper. Call up the campaign manager immediately, Richmond 52, and give your name and address so that it may be entered in the first list of nominated candidates. There is surely a prize that you will want.

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BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL HOLDS SPIRITED MEETING

The Building Trades Council held one of the biggest meetings of its career last night when a delegation from the up-county labor forces attended the annual election of officers.

Their candidate for the business managership was A. Rahlves of Bay Point. The Richmond forces candidate was F. W. Heckman, who won by a vote of 46 to 38.

The other officers elected were R. L. Goodwin, president; C. A. Beatty, vice president; J. O. Dahl, recording secretary; C. D. Craig, financial secretary; J. P. Sandberg, sergeant at arms; J. C. Thornton, O. Dahl, L. D. Hansburger, trustees. Frank Roberts has been substituting for F. W. Heckman during his late illness, and will continue in that position until Heckman reports for duty.

Jack Thornton, a well-known member of the Building Trades Council and also a cartoonist of note, showed the members of the council some of his excellent work in the form of characterizations of the different members who were nominated for offices at the annual election last night in the Labor Temple. As each was nominated Thornton drew an exact likeness of the candidate on a blackboard, showing his different traits.

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CAN'T EVADE THE ISSUE

Official news comes that the allies have decided to let the Russians run Russia in their own way. It's excellent news, meaning trouble avoided in the future. When a hundred and fifty million people, as in Rusia, 85 per cent of them unable to read or write, decide that they want to fight each other, there is danger for the man who interferes, even with the praiseworthy desire to compel Russians to pay the national debt that they have repudiated.

"Put not your finger between the bark and the tree," says the ancient proverb, meaning that it is not wise to interfere between man and wife.

"Put not your finger between the Bolsheviki and the bond issue" is also a good proverb.

The above is an editorial by Arthur Brisbane and we don't believe he knows what he is talking about, even if he is supposed to be very smart. The Russian and Bolshevik problems have got to be grappled with by the allies, and in point of fact they have already decided to feed those brutes, as a starter, going on the theory, which is right, that it is a mighty little step from starvation to anarchy.

I might be all well enough to withdraw and let dog eat dog over there, but the menace of the mad dogs running amuck over the whole of Europe and part of America would still remain, and that is just exactly what they would do, and are already doing. They have spread all over Germany, and riots and bloodshed has resulted. They are spreading all over Austria and Hungary, into Poland, Italy, Turkey and about everywhere else, with quite a sprinkling of them shooting off their self-cocking mouths here in the United States.

The Russian and the Bolshevik problems cannot be ignored, by the allies or by the world at large. The fire has got to be put out, and the only question is as to the best methods to put it out.

Roosevelt said he did not call Heney a wild ass of the desert. Well, suppose he didn't. That is no good reason why Mr. Heney cannot be a wild ass of the desert if he wants too.

THINKOGRAPHS

Why doth the small boy burn with zeal
To bust things and destroy?
Because he cannot help it,
Being just a little boy.

Some pound cake weighs a ton.

Every sort of genius is not admired. People find it hard to admire a good bill collector.

We would all do a lot of fighting if we were not afraid of getting whipped.

Congressmen at Washington are finding out that while respectability is a splendid adjunct, it is not a substitute for honesty.

Army medical men state that brunette men can stand more whisky than blondes, but they don't state what they want to do it for.

Debs predicts Socialist success in the next election. Every once in a while some fellow comes along and predicts the end of the earth in a few weeks, also.

There will be a hearty welcome in Freedom's shambles for any goat bearing the brand or tag of Trotzky or Lenine.

Impertinent ex-pacifists are springing up everywhere and rancously telling the country what to do with the victory it won in spite of their opposition.

Somebody is complaining because golf balls are up to $1.25 each, but there are others who are willing for golf balls to fly as high as a lark if only codfish balls would roost low and highballs would remain.

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Starting with the beginning of the campaign and closing Saturday, Feb. 15, at 8 p. m., we will give in addition to the regular votes a special allot good for 500,000 votes for each club of $20 in subscriptions. A candidate may get just as many of these special ballots as they are able to get clubs of $20.

This is the greatest offer of the campaign. At no time again will your subscriptions count for so much. Remember that all subscriptions turned in during this period count for two things. They count the regular number of votes which never change during the campaign, and in addition, they count in your clubs of $20. Candidates should get busy immediately and make every minute of this period count. Remember the dates. From the beginning of the campaign to 8 p. m. Feb. 15.

Prizes All Desirable.

The prizes of this campaign are all desirable. It is needless to say that the splendid Chevrolet automobile or the $450 Richmond piano, which are the principal prizes, would be in themselves sufficient inducement to subscribe for, even though there were no others. There are, however, dozens of others worth hundreds of dollars, which are well worth anyone's time and effort to secure. Every day sees more prizes added in this campaign. The list will show many new additions, and you may look for more to come every day.

Call or phone the campaign manager and full information will be furnished relative to the campaign.

Something Doing Today at Richmond

A cast of well known players surrounds Harold Lockwood in his latest Metro All-Star Series picture, "Lend Me Your Name," a farce comedy derived from Francis Perry Elliott's popular novel, to be shown at the Richmond Theater today.

BUSINESS MEN AND CLERKS ARGUFY

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twenty-four if they wish, the same as the Standard Oil Company does, or anybody else that wants to, including, for instance, the News, which never stops work except on Sundays, maintaining different shifts and keeping at work and open all the time, day and night. Also, they want to know why the grocery, clothing, dry goods or other stores should be asked to close at 6, while the saloons are allowed to run until midnight, their bartenders being the same as any other clerks.

It would seem to the unbiased individual or the public in general, that both sides have some rights which the other should respect, and it is to be hoped that the differences can be amicaly adjusted.

The leading feminine role is portrayed by Pauline Curley, who was Mr. Lockwood's leading woman in "The Square Deceiver," and "The Landloper." Miss Curley is a sixteen-year-old, golden haired beauty, who has done some exceptionally fine work in her appearances with Mr. Lockwood.

Bessie Eyton is cast for the leading character part—a fiery-tempered wife—and she portrays it in the same finished manner that characterized her work while she was featured in Selig productions. Local film followers will remember Miss Eyton as one of the principals in "The Crisis" and in "The Spoilers."

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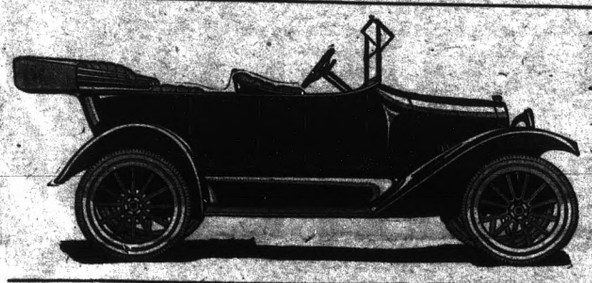

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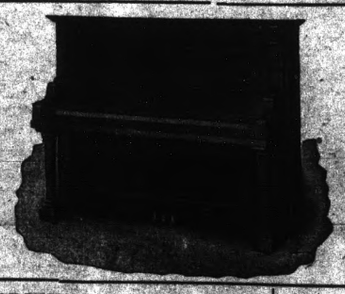

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A $100.00 Gold Bond Certificate which will apply on the purchase of any new piano at the GIRARD PIANO CO.

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A $65.00 Lynx Scarf purchased and on display at GARFINKLE'S, 511 Macdonald.

A $30.00 Credit on a Scholarship in the Richmond Commercial School.

A $25.00 fifteen jewel Watch purchased and on display at HENRY KALLMAN, Jeweler and Optician, 925 Macdonald Ave.

$25.00 Cash credit on a scholarship in the Heald's Business College.

Headlite, Hotpoint Electric Heater purchased and on display at V. G ELECTRIC CO., 1314 Macdonald Ave.

A $23.50 Eastman Kodak purchased and on display at La-Moine Drug Co., Sixth and Macdonald.

A $20.00 Photograph Order on the New Electric Studio, 255 Sixth Street.

A $10.00 Merchandise Order on J. F. STIEFVATER, the popular grocer, 801 Macdonald Ave.

OTHER PRIZES WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER.

$25.00 15-JEWEL GOLD WATCH

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The campaign is open to any person residing in the paper's circulation territory.
2. The campaign closes March 22, 1919.
3. There are no districts or territories. A candidate may get subscriptions anywhere in the United States, Canada or Mexico.
4. No employee of this paper or member of an employee's family will be allowed to become a candidate.
5. Votes obtained by one contestant cannot be transferred to another contestant.
6. Votes are given free, and can be obtained in no other way than by paid-in-full subscriptions or by coupons printed in the paper or by the sale of Chevrolet cars to prospects listed by a candidate.
7. The prizes will be awarded as follows: The candidate who has to his credit at the close of the campaign the greatest number of votes will have the first choice of any of the prizes offered. The candidate who at the close of the campaign has the second greatest number of votes will have second choice of any of the prizes offered, and so on down the list until all the prizes have been awarded. Each and very candidate who receives the votes from at least two yearly subscriptions will receive a prize.
8. The votes will be counted immediately at the close of the campaign, each candidate being allowed to pick one judge to assist in making the count.
9. The final count of votes will take place in public and every candidate is required to be present, or authorize the campaign managers in writing, to make the selection of the prize desired when the candidate's name is called by the judge.
10. In case a candidate is not present, or has no representative, or has not authorized the campaign managers to make selection of their prize, then that candidate will drop to the bottom of the list regardless of the number of votes that they may have.
11. In case of a tie the candidates tieing will each be given a prize identical with the prize tied for.
12. Candidates may sell subscriptions wholesale for any number of years and thesaid subscriptions may be re-sold by the subscriber at the full face value at any time during the next three years.
13. The following is the schedule on which votes will be issued throughout the campaign. This schedule will never change.

3 Months Subscription	$ 1.20	2,000 Votes
6 Months Subscription	$ 2.40	5,000 Votes
1 Year's Subscription	$ 4.00	15,000 Votes
2 Year's Subscription	$ 8.00	40,000 Votes
3 Year's Subscription	$12.00	80,000 Votes
4 Years Subscription	$16.00	100,000 Votes
5 Years Subscription	$20.00	250,000 Votes

All subscriptions of any other term both wholesale and otherwise. The votes will be figured prorata with the above schedule.

14. The Campaign will be divided into three periods. The first period willclose February 15, 1919. The second period will close March 8th, and the third periodwill close March 22, 1919. During the first period there will be an extra Bonus of 500,000 votes given for each $20.00 in subscription money. During the second period there will be an Extra Bonus votes given for each $30.00 in subscription money, and during the third period there will be an extra Bonus of 200,000 extra votes given on each $20.00 insubscription money.
15. In addition to the above the following prize votes will be given to the candidates turning in the greatest amount of business between the dates as follows: Four prize votes one million each, 16 to March 1. Six prize votes graduating, one hundred thousand less each, 1,000,000 to 500,000. March 2 to March 15. Four prize votes 1,000,000 each, March 16 to March 21.
16. Prospects for the purchase of Chevrolet cars may be listed with the Campaign Manager and in case the prospect purchases a car at its regular price a ballot for 250,000 votes will be given to the candidate who first lists the prospect.
17. The Campaign Directors and this paper will settle all disputes that may arise and their decision will remain final and absolute.
18. All contestants entering this contest agree to abide by the above rules.

NOMINATION COUPON

GOOD FOR 5,000 VOTES.

Clip the Coupon and Win an Auto.

I Nominate .....

Address .....

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Only one nomination coupon will be credited each contestant. Name of persons making nominations will not be divulged, if so requested.

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GOOD FOR 50,000 VOTES.

When Accompanied by One Subscription for One Year.

Candidate .....

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Only one of these coupons can be used by any one candidate and will be honored only when accompanied by a year's subscription, either new or old.

SUBSCRIPTION COUPON

GOOD FOR 25,000 VOTES.

When Accompanied by Candidates' Own Subscription or Their Own Immediate Family.

Candidate .....

Address .....

Only one of these Coupons can be used by any one candidate, and will be honored only when accompanied by One Year's Subscription in Candidate's own name or in name of their immediate family.

DAILY VOTE COUPON

GOOD FOR 100 VOTES.

Save This Coupon.

Name .....

Street .....

Town .....

This Coupon, neatly cut, name and address filled in and brought or mailed to the Richmond News will count for 100 votes.

NOT GOOD AFTER FEBRUARY 15.

News Classified Ads

FOR SALE—5-room modern cottage, beautifully situated in Nevin ave., at a bargain on easy terms, small payment down, balance like rent. This is the property of a client who wants to leave. D. Barton, 607 McDonald Ave. 12-17-tf

BYRN'S SPECIALS
Dandy corner, 50x100, $1,250.
Two lots near Barrett, $1,100.
Lot on 7th street, only $225.
Apartment house, furniture and lease $3,000. Nets $125 per month.

R. W. BYRN
Phone 756 209 Macdonald Ave.

REMOVAL NOTICE—The F. E. Adams Teamfer Company has moved from the Pascoe office to across the street to Black's place, 934 Macdonald avenue. Phone 940, where all orders should be left. Frank Chatell, Manager.

NOTARY PUBLIC—I make and acknowledge all kinds of legal papers, deeds, mortgages, contracts, leases, etc.; houses to rent; fire insurance. H. G. Stidham, 163 Washington Avenue. Phones: Office 868; residence, 920. 26-tf

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at once at the Richmond News office. Will pay 5c per lb.

WANTED—One and a half or two lots, centrally located. State location and price. Cash or terms. News office, box 60. (t5)

WOMAN wants work, 25c an hour. Mrs. Bednarski. Phone 356.

I HAVE some thoroughbred Andulusian Cockerels for sale. Address Postoffice Box 146, Stege, Calif. 316t6p

SNAPS FOR SALE

LOT SNAP
32x112, corner Fifth and Barrett $1,000 cash.

J. H. PLATE
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610 Macdonald Avenue Phone 170

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—I have 160 acres of good land in Red Lake County, Minnesota, six miles from the county seat valued at $5,000 that I will trade for some real estate of equal value in Nothern California or around the bay. Address Box 50, The Daily News. tf

LOST—Watch, between 20th and 23d on Macdonald Wednesday night, Jan. 15. Hamilton, 17-jewels, gold watch. Return to M. De Fount, street car barns. Reward. t5

LET MAYERS DO IT
Mayers' American Cleaning and Dyeing Establishment at 1116 Macdonald avenue, is so well known in Richmond for many years past that it is probably needless to say that it is the leader in this line of business in this city. If you want your old suit made to look like new let Mayers do it. That's his business and he knows how. Incidently, he doesn't charge but very little. For further information phone Richmond 452. tf

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FOR SALE

$3,500 buys 2 lots and 6-room house—easy payment.
$3,850 buys 5-room house with garage under—easy terms.
$2,350 buys modern cottage—some terms.
$375 buys one lot on 22d street.
$3,100 buys 5-room house, 2 lots—close in—some terms.
$4,200 cash—3 acres choice land with 8-room house and good improvements.
$4,700 buys 6-room modern house—2 lots—close in.
All Kinds of Notary Work Done

CONN BROS.,
258 Sixth Street.

We Have Just Received

A new line of Georgette Waists in the new spring designs. The colors are white flesh and bisque, just the shades to go with any skirt or suit.

Other Newcomers

Dainty Underwear of the washable satin crepe de chine artistically designed and dainty trimmed in flesh and white—just what you need for the new Georgette Waist.

Silk Petticoats for your new spring suit, with silk jersey top and taffeta or messaline pleated ruffles in plain or changeable colors. Reasonably priced.

R. G. Jones Dry Goods Co.
RICHMOND, CAL. PHONE 248

Local Laconics of Richmondites

Mrs. Alice Sutton of Sebastapol is visiting at the home of friends in this city for a few days. Mrs. Sutton was formerly a well-known matron of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Powney have sold their pretty home at Fifth and Nevin to Mr. McCallam of the Santa Fe.

George H. Hoyt of the Hoyt Realty Syndicate of Berkeley was a visitor in Richmond yesterday.

Rev. H. M. Sanborne is on a business trip to San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Surles are in Los Angeles on a six weeks' vacation trip.

"Curley" of the American Lunch counter is sporting a new Overland roadster. The only time he can get out is at night and on Sunday, for "Curley" is kept busy.

Mrs. J. M. Arano is critically ill at her home at 330 Twentieth street.

A. Peters will build a new $2,100 cottage on Barrett, between Fourth and Fifth streets. The building will be one of the finest in the neighborhood. N. E. Anderson is the builder.

An aeroplane flew over Richmond yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock. It was very high up and was headed for San Francisco, probably from the Sacramento field.

I. R. Vaughn and J. O. Ford were visitors at the county seat Wednesday afternoon.

Deputy Grand Regent of Moosehart Zeb Knott attended the Moose lodge doings at Martinez Wednesday night.

I. L. Dearborn, secretary of the of the Merchants' Association, is up and about again after a three weeks' illness.

Bayard Lang writes from Beaune, France, where he is with ase Hospital No. 47, that he expects to be home by March 1. At the time the letter was sent his company was about to leave for a French seaport. Lang is with Captain Abbott's company. Many Richmond boys are with this company which has seen active service in France.

The British tanker "Ticona" is now at the Standard Oil inside wharf loading about 4,000 tons of oil for the Orient. The tanker is direct from England, where it was in war service for the past four years. It is one of the great fleet of the British Royal Navy.

Mrs. W. A. Boone, who has been one of the hardest workers for the Red Cross and Belgian relief funds, believes thats he sees the end of her strenuous labors. She says that with one more clothing drive for the Belgians they will be fitted out with all they need for the winter months.

Women representatives of the different Christian churches about the bay cities will hold a meeting with a committee of women representing the local First Christian Church Monday afternoon, for the purpose of arranging a program for the next quarterly meeting, which is to be held in Richmond some time during the middle of February.

The Olive Homestead of Yeomen held a very interesting business meeting last night. They are planning many delightful surprises in the near future.

The Lincoln and Washington schools will hold their graduating exercises in the Lincoln auditorium tonight. There are fifty-three pupils graduating from the two schools.

MRS. EDW. MURPHY CALLED

Mrs. Edward Murphy, well-known Richmond and Albany matron, died suddenly and unexpectedly at her home in Albany yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock from pleurisy, following a month's illness from influenza and pneumonia. Mrs. Murphy was a former resident of Richmond. The deceased was a native of Grand Rapids, Mich., and was 32 years of age. She leaves a husband, Edward Murphy, Standard Oil pipefitter; a daughter, La Borne, 6 years of age; a sister, Mrs. Roy LaRoine of Richmond, and a father, O. G. Wells of Richmond. The body is at the Henderson Chapel in Oakland. No funeral arrangements have been made as yet.

STRIKE WILL TIE UP ALL SHIPS

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day's conference of the supreme war council and assurances now are given that the matter will be settled before Saturday. The details of the problem, which caused the first split among the delegates of the big five nations, will be worked out by the league of nations. As the American delegation entered the conference with the firm determination not to consent to the exploitation of the colonies, it is presumed that another victory for the President is being scored.

WORK WILL RESUME UPON A LARGE SCALE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The Senate late this afternoon passed the bill to validate war contracts without a roll call and without the Hitchcock amendment. The bill provides for an appeals committee to care for any question arising over settlement, and defeats Secretary Baker's desire to have the settlements in his hands entirely. The commission will consist of three members. This will validate approximately $3,000,000,000 worth of war contracts made by the War Department, which were temporarily invalidated by the signing of the armistice.

OAKLAND MACHINISTS MAY ACCEPT COMPROMISE

The Machinists' Union of Oakland yesterday voted to hold a special meeting Sunday morning to take up the question of the employers' compromise offer in the metal trades shops outside shipyards. The union some time ago voted to stand by its original demands for enforcement of the retroactive provision of the Macy award. This was tantamount to a rejection of the compromise offer. There are present indications of a change of sentiment on the part of the union.

2,000 MORE COAST BOYS HOME FROM OVERSEAS

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 30.—Philadelphia today extended a hearty welcome to 2,127 men of the American expeditionary forces, first of the overseas contingent to arrive at this port. They came on the liner Haverford. Most of the returning soldiers were members of the Sixty-Fifth Regiment, Coast Artillery. Organized on the Pacific coast, the 65th Regiment is composed mainly of men from Washington, Oregon and California.

CARD OF THANKS

Words fail to express our heartfelt gratefulness to the many friends who proffered sympathy and gave floral offerings during our bereavement in the loss of my beloved wife and sister. It is at such times as this that we realize how inadequate words are. We can only hope similar sorrow may long be spared them.

Frank Heckman, Frank and Ed Phelps.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Baker and family and Mrs. Retta Baker take this method of expressing their appreciation and thanks to the many friends who participated in the last and rites of D. W. Baker yesterday, and especially to McKinley Lodge of Masons, under whose auspices the services were held.

CARD OF THANKS

Only those who have lost the beloved partner of their lives can know how thankful and grateful I am to the many friends who showed so much kindness and sympathy over the death and at the funeral services of my husband. I thank them from the bottom of my heart.

MRS. JOSEPH WOLF.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral services of Mrs. Sarah E. Lucas will be held at the residence, 329 Eighth street, Saturday at 9:30 a. m. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

ATTENTION, MASONS!

The Alpha Lodge of Masons will hold a special meeting Friday night Jan. 31, at Bank Hall at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of conferring the first degree. tf

Prosperity Assured

Richmond needs only the completion of its great deep water harbor project to assure its immediate and continuous prosperity. That has just progressed sufficient so the big ocean-going ships can dock at the big municipal wharf there, unloading cargoes from all parts of the world and taking on California and Richmond products.

This is a national affair, inasmuch as the United States Government has stood a part of the expense and Richmond the balance, in all so far appropriating a million and a half dollars, and both are yet upon the work of further improvement. Right now a big liner, a U. S. Government ship, is taking on a cargo at Richmond for Atlantic Coast ports, going via the Panama Canal, and shortly a still larger ship will do likewise, at which time the city of Richmond is to give a public celebration of the opening of its great harbor and the establishment of Richmond as a world's shipping port, which will be a monster demonstration. People of state and national importance will be there, and large delegations from everywhere in Northern California.

Richmond's Prosperity Record

Probably no city in America of its age and size has prospered because of the war as did Richmond, for the reason that it is a manufacturing community and its products were in great demand. The great Standard Oil Works there, employing 4,000 men at top notch wages and an investment of perhaps thirty millions, is but one of the factors contributing to Richmond's prosperity. Many other large manufacturing concerns also contribute to the general welfare and continued good times, industrially and every other way. Among these are the Pullman Car Works, and Santa Fe machine shops and terminals, the Certainteed Products Company, the three large Porcelain Works, the only ones in the west, the Western Pipe and Steel Works, the Princeton Knitting Mills and a dozen lesser establishments of an industrial nature. Richmond ranks now as second in the state of California in tonnage shipments of manufactured goods—second only to San Francisco and leading Oakland, Los Angeles and all other cities. Ten thousand men are employed in and immediately adjacent including the great powder works to the north a few miles, and these men are all getting big salaries.

All Values Enhancing

Naturally all values in Richmond are rapidly enhancing, and especially is that true of real estate, the basis of all values. A dozen years ago there was no Richmond, but today it is eight miles across and building is going on in every section of that eight miles, but so fast is the growth of that city, that one has to watch very closely to get a house to live in. The building is rapid and constant, but still the demand exceeds the supply 500 per cent. It was said of Richmond before the war that it was the fastest growing town of its age and size in America, and this will hold good today.

Information Furnished Free

If you would like a job in Richmond, or to locate there in business, to purchase a lot or two for speculation or for building purposes, to make a home there, build you a residence of any kind and share in this general prosperity, and desire any information regarding any of these lines, write to any of the undersigned firms and they will mail you printed literature, pictured scenes, information as to work, prices of land, cost of building, opportunities for business or anything else you would like to know, and all entirely free. They are members of the Richmond Industrial Commission and desire only the upbuilding and general welfare of the city.

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